

Land dispute leaves one dead, 30 injured

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

A man was killed and 30 others were injured in a clash between two rival groups over capture of a disputed land at Bamoi village in Lakhai upazila of Habiganj district yesterday.

The dead was identified as Abu Taher, 50, of the village.

Officer-in-Charge Mozammel Haque of Lakhai Police Station said there had been a long-standing dispute between Abu Taher and Joynal

Abedin of the village over the ownership of a land.

As the villagers belonging to Joynal group went to capture the land at around 3:30pm, Taher and his men equipped with lethal weapons swooped on their rivals, prompting them to retaliate.

Taher and 30 others from both sides were injured during the clash that continued for an hour. Taher sustained stab injuries and died on the spot.

On information, police went to the spot and dis-

persed the clashing groups. They recovered Taher's body and sent it to Habiganj Sadar Hospital for autopsy. The remaining 30 injured were admitted to Habiganj Sadar Hospital.

The supporters of Taher and Joynal again tried to attack each other in the evening, but law enforcers dispersed them and brought the situation under control.

None was arrested in connection with the incident as of filing of this report at 5:00pm yesterday.

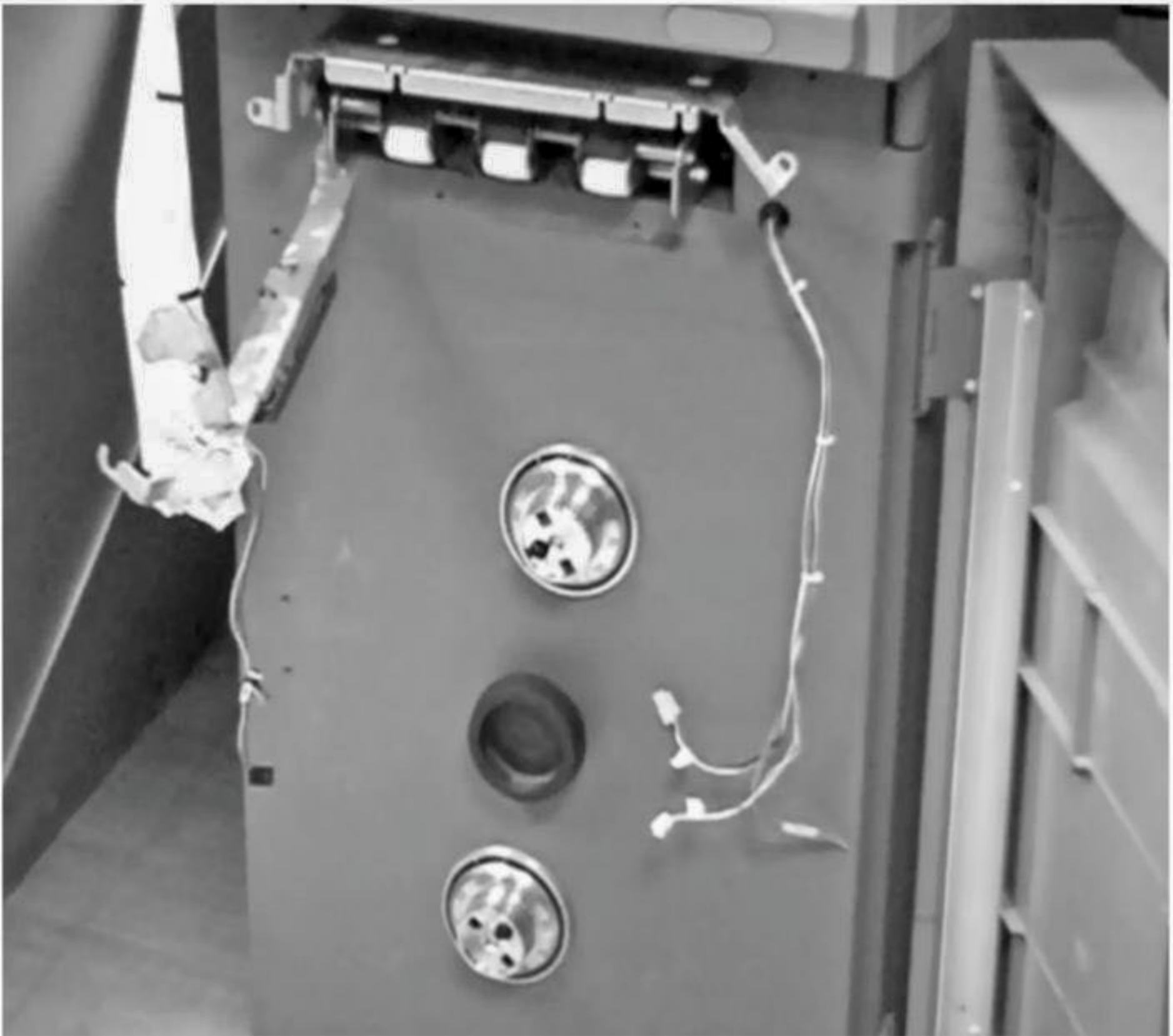


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Robbers loot Tk 3.18 lakh, breaking this ATM booth of Dutch Bangla Bank Ltd at Panchratar More intersection in Kushtia town early Tuesday.

Burglary at DBBL ATM booth in Kushtia

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

Masked robbers looted Tk 3.18 lakh by breaking an ATM booth of Dutch Bangla Bank Limited (DBBL) at Panchratar More intersection in the town early Tuesday.

The gang also vandalised eleven CCTV (close circuit television) cameras installed for five ATM machines inside the first

track centre of the bank.

Police quoted two night guards of the bank as saying that a gang of 7/8 armed robbers entered the first track centre around 3:00am and took the two guards hostage at gunpoint.

They later vandalised the CCTV cameras of the centre, looted the money by breaking one of the five ATM machines and fled the scene.

Nazrul Islam, manager of the bank's Kushtia branch, said they have already handed over the CCTV footages to the police.

Robiul Islam, officer-in-charge (investigation) of Kushtia Model Police Station, said they have detained the two night guards for quizzing and will resume their investigation after watching the CCTV footages.

Housewife murdered for dowry

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

A housewife was murdered allegedly by her husband and in-laws for dowry in Phulbari upazila of the district on Monday night.

The deceased is Mallika Rani Roy, 20, wife of Sudhangsu Roy of Rajarampur village in the upazila.

Victim's father Jagadish Chandra Roy of Dakkhinnagar village in Sadar upazila said Sudhangsu married his daughter two months ago. He and his family members had been putting pressure on Mallika for dowry since the marriage, he alleged.

Neighbour said the couple had an altercation over the issue on Monday night. At one stage, Sudhangsu strangled his wife.

Being informed, police went to the spot Tuesday morning, recovered the body and sent it to Dinajpur Medical College Hospital for autopsy, said ABM Rezaul Islam, officer-in-charge of Phulbari Police Station.

Jagadish filed a case with the police station, the OC added.

Away in Mymensingh, a schoolgirl was found dead at Kholabari village in Bhaluka upazila of the district on Tuesday.

The deceased Aklima Aktar Monira, daughter of Aminul Islam of the village, was a Class VIII student at Narangi High School in the upazila.

Police said Monira had an affair with a youth named Liton Mia of the village. Recently, Liton's family came to know the matter and refused to accept Monira.

Monira went out of her house on Monday night and did not return since then. Locals spotted her body near a jungle the following morning and informed the police.

Police recovered the body and sent it to Mymensingh Medical College Hospital morgue for autopsy. They also recovered an empty bottle of poison from the spot, said Golam Sarwar, officer-in-charge of Bhaluka Police Station.

Four traders held with shrimp fry

UNB, Laxmipur

Detective Branch (DB) of Police in a drive arrested four fish traders and seized 10 lakh shrimp fry from their possession in Laxmipur Sadar upazila on Tuesday night.

The identities of the arrestees could not be known.

Acting on a tip-off, a team of the DB police, led by officer-in-charge Abdullah Al Mamun, raided the area and arrested the four along with the fry while they were taking those to Khulna from Ramgati upazila of the district.

The government in September in 2000 imposed a ban on netting shrimp fry in the coastal areas from March to July every year.

The government also banned the use of current nets during the period.

PAHELA BAISHAKH CELEBRATIONS



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1) People from two sides of Bangladesh-India border exchange greetings with their near and dear ones, standing beside the barbed wire fence at Omarkhana in Panchagarh Sadar upazila, 2) students of Bharateshwari Homes in Mirzapur upazila under Tangail district perform a traditional dance, and 3) Gono Unnayon Kendra brings out a colourful procession in Gaibandha town, celebrating the Bangla New Year on Tuesday.

Court embarrassed to hear journo Mizan's bail prayer

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Patuakhali

Patuakhali District and Sessions Judges' Court did not hear the bail petition of detained ABM Mizanur Rahman, Bauful upazila correspondent of the Prothom Alo, on the scheduled day yesterday.

Mizanur was brutally tortured allegedly in police custody on March 17 night.

The district and sessions judge, Bimol Chandra Sikder yesterday expressed 'embarrassment' to hear the petition at his court as a writ petition had been filed before the High Court (HC) over the matter, said advocate Lutfar Rahman Khokon, lawyer of Mizan.

The judge, however, ordered recording the bail petition, he said.

Earlier a judicial magistrate's court rejected Mizanur's bail prayer on March 22.

As per instruction of the district and sessions judge, the civil surgeon on March 24 formed a four-member medical board that examined Mizanur on March 29 at Patuakhali General Hospital and found marks of torture at different points on his body.

Local newsmen have continued different programmes demanding release of the Prothom Alo journalist, withdrawal of the 'false' case against him and forming a judicial inquiry committee to probe the torture on him.

Police arrested Mizanur from Kalaiya Bazar area around 8:00pm on March 17 on charge of assaulting

Halim, ASI of Bauful Police Station.

Mizanur alleged that policemen tortured him physically and mentally in their custody at the night. At one stage, he lost consciousness and police took him to Bauful upazila hospital but they brought him back to the police station without any treatment, as some local journalists were present at the hospital.

The following day, police produced Mizanur before the Bauful Upazila Judicial Magistrate's Court that sent him to jail.

Meanwhile, the High Court on March 22 asked the government and the police to show cause in two weeks as to why the law enforcers responsible for torturing Mizanur should not be punished.

CONFIDENCE CEMENT LIMITED

Office of the Managing Director
Ispahani Building, Agrabad, Chittagong

Invitation for Tenders

IFT No- CCL/Unit-3/04/2015

Memo No- CCL/U-3/04(01)-15

Date : 15-04-2015

1 Employer	Confidence Cement Limited (CCL)				
2 Procurement Method	Open Tender (Single Stage Double Envelop Method), National				
3 Tender No.	CCL/Unit-3/04/2015				
4 Tender Name	Fabrication and Erection of Steel Structures and Equipment for Clinker and Limestone Silo for 3rd Unit of Confidence Cement Limited, Madambibirhat, Bhatiary, Sitakund, Chittagong.				
5 Brief Description of the Work	The major Works of this Contract comprise of Full Labour Contract for Fabrication and Erection of all Non-Standard Items which includes but not limited to Steel Trusses for Belt Conveyors, Steel Stairs, Steel Feeding Hoppers, Steel Ducts, Steel connecting Chutes, Steel Pipelines for Dusting Systems and Compressed Air etc. and Erection of Pre-Fabricated Steel Roofs, Bucket Elevators, Bag Filters, Belt Conveyors, Blowers, Motors etc. and all types of related Equipment including all accessories at the required Elevations as shown in the Process drawing.				
6 Time for Completion of the Works	05 (five) months .				
7 Eligibility of the Tenderers	This Invitation of Tender is open to all Prospective Tenderers as mentioned below: (a) i) The minimum number of years of general experience of the Tenderer in Fabrication and Erection works as Prime Contractor or Subcontractor or Management Contractor shall be 05 (five) years. ii) The minimum specific experience as a Prime Contractor or Subcontractor or Management Contractor in Fabrication and Erection works of the following key activities within a period of last 05 (five) years shall be required. <table border="1" style="width: 100%; margin: 5px 0;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Item</th> <th>Minimum Quantity required</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>i) Fabrication and Erection of Super Structural Steel Works and Equipment of Cement Factory</td> <td>01 (one) Nos.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> iii) A satisfactory completion of similar works of at least 01 (one) Contract, with a value of BDT 10 (ten) Million over a period of last 05 (five) years shall be required. (b) The Tenderer shall have a minimum average annual turnover from Erection Works over the period in the last 5 (five) years of BDT 20 (twenty) Million. (c) The minimum amount of liquid assets or working capital or credit facilities of the Tenderer shall be BDT 06 (six) Million. (d) Other required eligibility and conditions of the Tenderer are shown in Tender Data Sheet (TDS) of Tender Document.	Item	Minimum Quantity required	i) Fabrication and Erection of Super Structural Steel Works and Equipment of Cement Factory	01 (one) Nos.
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8 Price of Tender Document	Tk. 5,000.00 (five thousand)				
9 Amount of Tender Security	Tk. 5,00,000.00 (five lac)				
10 Address of the Offices selling Tender Document	(i) Confidence Cement Ltd., Ispahani Building (3rd Floor), SK. Mujib Road, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong. (ii) Confidence Cement Limited, Ispahani Building (6th Floor), 14-15, Motijheel C/A, Dhaka.				
11 Address of the Office Receiving and Opening Tender	Office of the Managing Director, Confidence Cement Ltd., Ispahani Building (3rd Floor), SK. Mujib Road, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong.				
12 Last Date of Selling Tender	26-04-2015 up to 5:00 PM				
13 Last Date of Submission	14-05-2015 up to 12:00 Noon				
14 Date and Time for Opening of Technical Tenders	Tenders will be opened on 14-05-2015 at 2.30 PM. at mentioned office. Intending Tenderers or their representatives may remain present during opening of tenders.				
15 Place, Date and Time of Pre Tender Meeting (Optional)	Conference Room, Confidence Cement Limited, Madambibirhat, Bhatiary, Sitakund, Chittagong, On 02-05-2015 at 11:00 AM.				
16 Designation and address of the Official Inviting Tender	Managing Director, Confidence Cement Ltd., Ispahani Building (3rd floor), SK. Mujib Road, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong.				
17 Contact detail of the Official Inviting Tender	Tele. Phone: +88-031-2781161-2, Fax: +88-031-2781164. e-mail: project3.cement@confidencegroup.com.bd				
18 The employer reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the Tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.					

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